

REMARKS

Responsive to the Restriction Requirement dated February 24, 2005, Applicant elects claims 1-25 and 38-47 (Group I) for examination. Applicant accordingly has canceled claims 26-27 (Group II), claims 28-29 (Group III), claims 30-33 and 36-37 (Group IV), claims 34-35 (Group V), and claims 48-49 (Group VI).

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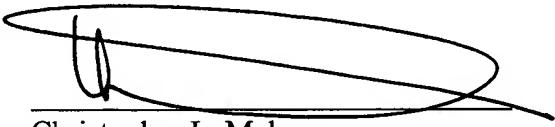
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